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In response to the non-final office action April 28, 2005 (*Office Action*), please consider the following amendments and remarks. Amendments to the specification begin on page 3; amendments to the claims begin on page 4; Applicant's remarks

commence on page 10 and the Applicant's conclusions as to the present allowability of the application commence on page 18.